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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED SEPTEMBER 24, 2004

Dear Sir:

This is a Response to the Office Action with mailing date September 24, 2004 (hereafter 'the Office Action.'). Claims 1-66 are in the case. Applicants acknowledge with thanks the telephone conference with Examiner Patel on Wednesday, November 10, 2004. In response to that telephone conference, applicants present the following amendment and remarks demonstrating that the case is in condition for allowance.

#### **AMENDMENT**

Please amend the above-identified application as follows: Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 2 of this paper.